

Flisha B. Gaddis House
1016 Broad Street
Newark
Essex County
New Jersey

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Owner: Elisha B. Gadois

Date of Erection: c. 1865 or 1870

Present Condition: Good

Description: Main facade of brownstone; sides and rear of house, brick, painted brown. Brownstone trim. Cornice is of wood

Additional Data: A bedroom over first floor addition was added about 1911 or 1912. In the drawing room, ceiling painting installed about 1889. Chandeliers bronze gilt, originally for gas, later adapted for electricity. Circassian walnut panelling, indirect cove lighting put in 1906. An earlier installation exposed bulbs above lip of cove, but improvements were made in 1906, more bulbs installed and the whole lighting system hidden in the troughs, thus creating a diffused glow, as seen today in modern indirect lighting systems. This building a good example of the type residence, the better class homes of that period.